- 1 SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate importance, shall take 2 effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Britt News
- 3 Tribune, a newspaper published in the city of Britt, Iowa and Leader 4 & Signal, a newspaper published in the city of Garner, Iowa.

House File 523. Approved May 1, 1937.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Britt News Tribune, June 3, 1937, and the Iowa Leader & Signal, Garner, June 2, 1937.

ROBERT E. O'BRIAN, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 250

LEGALIZING ACT

S. F. 50

AN ACT to legalize the election and proceedings relating to the sale and issuance of bonds by the consolidated independent school district of Smithland, Woodbury county, state of Iowa, and the proceedings providing for the levying of an annual tax for the payment of said bonds, and declaring said bonds enforceable obligations of said school district.

Whereas, on the 20th day of August, 1935, pursuant to a petition duly presented and notice given, the voters of the Consolidated Independent School District of Smithland, Woodbury county, state of Iowa, held an election at which there was submitted the following proposition: "Shall the Consolidated Independent School District of Smithland, Woodbury county, state of Iowa, construct and equip an addition to the present school house within said district for a gymnasium, and alter and remodel said present schoolhouse in connection with said addition thereto; and contract indebtedness and issue bonds not exceeding the sum of seventeen thousand dollars (\$17,000.00) for the purpose of constructing and equipping an addition to the present schoolhouse within said district, and alter and remodel said present schoolhouse in connection with said purpose; and levy a tax annually upon the taxable property in the said Consolidated Independent School District of Smithland, Woodbury county, state of Iowa, not exceeding three (3) mills per annum for the payment of such bonds and interest thereon"; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the authority granted by said election the board of directors of said Consolidated Independent School District have completed the construction of the proposed improvement and have issued and sold school building bonds of said district in the amount of nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00); and

WHEREAS, doubts have arisen as to the legal sufficiency of said ballot and proceedings and as to the authority to issue and sell bonds and to levy and collect taxes sufficient to pay the principal and interest of said bonds as the same will become due, and it is deemed advisable to put said doubts, and all others that may arise, forever at rest; now therefore,

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That the election and all proceedings taken by the board of directors of the Consolidated Independent School District of Smith-
- 3 land, Woodbury county, state of Iowa, for the sale and issuance of
- 4 nine thousand dollars (\$9,000.00) school building bonds of said school
- 5 district, and all proceedings providing for the levy of taxes to pay the

- principal and interest of said bonds as the same will become due, be, and the same are hereby declared to be legal and valid notwithstanding any irregularity, omission or defect in connection therewith, and that said bonds in the amount aforesaid shall be and are hereby declared to be valid and binding obligations of said school district, and said board of directors be and is hereby authorized to levy and collect the tax, as provided, sufficient for the payment of the principal and interest of said bonds as the same will become due.
 - SEC. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall become effective upon publication in the Sioux City Tribune, a newspaper published at Sioux City, Iowa, and the Smithland News, a newspaper published at Smithland, Iowa, both of said publications to be without expense to the state.

Senate File 50. Approved February 16, 1937.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Smithland News, February 18, 1937, and the Sioux City Tribune, February 19, 1937.

ROBERT E. O'BRIAN, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 251 LEGALIZING ACT

S. F. 7

AN ACT to legalize execution sales made by execution officers who have failed to make required entries and endorsements on the execution and have failed to give notice to select homesteads and have failed to plat or have defectively platted homesteads and who have not properly offered property for such sale as provided by law.

Be It Enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

- SECTION 1. That all execution sales heretofore had wherein the execution officer has failed to endorse on the execution the day and hour when received, the levy, sale or other act done by virtue thereof, with the date thereof, the dates and amounts of any receipts or payment in satisfaction thereof at the time of the receipt or act done, or has failed to endorse thereon, an exact description of the property levied upon at length with the date of levy, be and the same are hereby legalized and declared to be legal and valid as if all of the provisions of laws as required by sections 11664 to 11668-c1, both inclusive, of the code of 1935 had been in all respects strictly and fully complied with.
- SEC. 2. That all execution sales of real estate heretofore had in which the execution officer has failed to serve notice upon the title-holders in possession to select their homestead or has defectively served such notice or, having served such notice, has, upon the failure of defendants to select a homestead, neglected to plat the same or has defectively platted the same, or where said execution officer in such sales has offered the property en masse without first offering the same in the least legal subdivisions, or where said officer has failed to offer property, including the homestead, first separately in least legal subdivisions exclusive of homestead, then offering all property en masse, exclusive of the homestead, then offering the homestead separately, then offering all of the property for sale, en masse, be and the same are